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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents

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Re: Application of Hiroaki INOUE, Yoshiyuki ITO, Junji SAKAI, Masato EDAHIRO
PARALLEL PROCESSING SYSTEM BY OS FOR SINGLE PROCESSORS
AND PARALLEL PROCESSING PROGRAM
Assignee: **NEC CORPORATION**
Our Ref.: Q80602

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 84 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 29 sheets of formal drawings, a copy of the executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and a copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) with references.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>35</u> - 20	=	<u>15</u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u>\$270.00</u>
Independent claims	<u>6</u> - 3	=	<u>3</u>	x	\$86.00	=	<u>\$258.00</u>
Base Fee							<u>\$770.00</u>

TOTAL FILING FEE	\$1298.00
Recordation of Assignment	\$40.00
TOTAL FEE	<u>\$1338.00</u>

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$1298.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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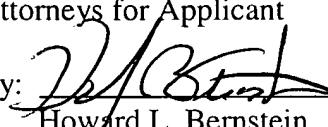
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